

IN THE WOMAN'S WORLD

MANY TEACHERS GATHER AT WOMAN'S SOCIETY MEETING

Y. W. C. A. Secretary Tells of Work Done and Needs of Honolulu

A large number of the teachers who have come here this fall, and the old Honolulu residents gathered at the Parish House of Central Union Church yesterday afternoon in response to the invitation of the Woman's Society.

The large reception room of the Parish House was a veritable bower of green pepper branches, while large vases and jardiniere of pale pink hibiscus and pink begonias were tastefully arranged on the various tables and stands.

The first part of the afternoon was spent in conversation and the latter part was devoted to a short but interesting program.

The first number of the program was a vocal selection by Mrs. John Erdman, who was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. William Whitney. This number was greatly enjoyed by the audience and was followed by Miss Esther Erickson, the Secretary of the Y. W. C. A., whose talk was based on the work done by the organization in cities other than Honolulu, and on the work that is done here and that the officers hoped to do in the near future.

Miss Erickson told of the different classes of women with whom the Y. W. C. A. has to deal. Their work is with the women of the world, not certain classes of women, but all women. She also spoke of the fourfold need of the young woman and of the way in which the Y. W. C. A. tries to fill that need. This fourfold need is the social, physical, intellectual and spiritual. It is well known here that the girls who would perhaps have no opportunity to attend social functions are given this opportunity at the many informal affairs given at the Homestead. The physical need will perhaps be met more adequately next year than it has been for some time past, for a new physical director, Miss Topper, has just arrived and she is ready to do her part in that department. In this department there are the gymnasium classes, the tennis courts, and the swimming classes, and the young women of this city can avail themselves of any of these forms of exercise.

The classes for intellectual development will be opened in the early part of next month and the girls who wish to do so will have the opportunity of studying Shakespeare and other great writers. Then the spiritual side of this fourfold need is filled through the Bible classes.

In her closing remarks, Miss Erickson

son asked that all of the women here of mature years and wide experience be ready to serve on committees and be willing to help in the great work that the Y. W. C. A. is trying to accomplish in Honolulu.

After Miss Erickson's talk Mr. William Love rendered a most pleasing violin solo. He was sympathetically accompanied by Mrs. Love.

At the conclusion of the program delicious refreshments were served by a number of young girls and it was long after the appointed hour before the guests departed.

The Methodist church on Beretania avenue was prettily decorated with ferns and palms yesterday afternoon for the wedding of Miss Edna Brown and Mr. Frank Combs. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend Robert Smith, in the presence of the relatives and intimate friends of the young couple. The bride was attended by her little niece, and the groom was supported by Mr. Sample. Mrs. Combs has lived in Honolulu for some time as the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Jackson. Mr. Combs is connected with the Associated Garages.

After the ceremony the bridal couple will be at home to their friends at their cottage on Kinau street after the first of October.

MEXICAN REBELS HOLD WOMAN AS HOSTAGE
Cuban Trying To Raise Two Thousand Pesos To Buy Her Release

EL PASO, Texas, Sept. 3.—After a hard ride on more than a hundred miles Alonzo Fernandez y Arquillas, a Cuban citizen, arrived here today to raise 2000 pesos to free his young wife, held hostage by rebels at Colohia Diaz.

Arquillas called on Gen. E. Z. Steever at Fort Bliss, and appealed to Gen. Joaquin Tellez, commander of the Mexican federal forces about Juarez, that about three days ago twenty rebels visited the ranch which Arquillas managed for a Mexico City concern, and demanded 2000 pesos which the Cuban could not produce. He was given until Wednesday to obtain the money. He started at once for El Paso, his wife being held at Colohia.

Arquillas said if he failed to obtain the money he would return to give himself up.

Intercepted Indians burned to death a rural mail carrier in the mountains north of Oaxaca, Mex.

RECREATIONS

LEOPARDS AND LIONS IN WONDERFUL ACT AT LIBERTY THEATER

An act billed as a "wonderful" one will make its first local appearance at the Liberty theatre tonight, it being Bernardo's troupe of trained lions and leopards, and that the act is one of the best of its kind is evident from the class of theatres on the mainland that it has appeared in.



BERNARDO AND ONE OF HIS LEOPARDS.

Considerable interest is usually aroused in an act of this kind, but this being an unusual one, inasmuch as these "jungle enemies," lions and leopards, go through their tricks in the same cage, the turn gives promise of being one of the most interesting and sensational yet seen on the Liberty theatre stage.

The animals arrived this morning in the Mongolia and are excellent specimens, and will no doubt prove a most interesting turn, on an already good program.

"FAKE" ANTI-CRUELTY SOCIETIES COIN MONEY

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Aug. 30.—County officials have discovered a scheme whereby unscrupulous persons, banding together in "fake" societies for the prevention of cruelty to animals or children, reap large harvests from coins collected as fines. The scheme came to the notice of officials when strangers appeared in this city and began arresting parents of children and owners of stock on charges of cruelty. Many fines were collected and the money went to the "anti-cruelty society" and its agents.

When called upon to investigate, District Attorney Evans found that anyone who could muster four friends to act as directors of a humane society might organize and collect fines. The "society," which has been operating here paid its agents 50 per cent. of all fines collected.

Money is a splendid substitute for brains in some cases.

AMUSEMENTS

Asahi Theater

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1912
At 8 P. M.

Madison

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Reserved Seats \$1 and \$1.50
Ringside Seats \$2

LONG DEBATE OVER COUNTY PLATFORM

No Division as to Principle, but as to Methods of Carrying Out

Vigorous objection to a plank in the Republican county platform calling for the establishment of civil service regulations in the police and fire departments precipitated a fight on the platform section by section that kept the convention debating over the document for more than three hours yesterday and last night. In fact, it was this discussion on the platform that delayed the nomination of candidates so long.

The platform had been read in full and apparently was on the point of going through without much change, the delegates being anxious to get to the nominations. However, the bill plank was picked up by John Wise and vigorous objection was made to it on the ground that it would be the height of political folly to carry it into the campaign, and that it isn't necessary now. The convention upheld his action, and the platform committee itself acknowledged that this section might be cut out and no great harm done.

This discussion brought on the reading of the platform section by section and then the objections came thick and fast, but in the main the platform stood the assaults and when it came through the fire, it was not badly mutilated.

Fight Not On Principle.

The big fight came over the adoption of the plank calling for the reorganization of municipal and legislative elections and placing the supervisors in classes with terms of service similar to those of the senators. The fight was not against the principle of the plank, which is to prevent the present back-and-forth trading, the dickering between legislative and municipal candidates and their friends and all the politics played between the two sets of offices because of the fact that their nominations are at the same convention.

All factions favored eliminating this, and the objection came from those who did not wish to see a municipal election one year, a legislative election the next, a municipal election again, and so on. Finally, after Chairman Towse and W. R. Farrington had made a hard fight for the plank, it stood and the exact method to be followed will be left to the legislature to work out.

When the platform had been read, a motion was promptly made to adopt it, but Achi and others insisted upon its being considered section by section, there being planks with which they did not agree. In the section relating to the responsibilities of the party touching the "Greater Honolulu," succeeding to the opening of the Panama canal, a successful attack was made on the clause committing the party to the principle of a frontage tax for the building of new streets and sidewalks. In vain Towse cited the example of progressive cities on the Pacific Coast—the clause went by the board.

Achi pitched into the section advocating municipal elections in years other than those of legislative elections and dividing supervisors into classes like those of senators so as to have holdover members on each new board. He moved an amendment to make the term of supervisors elected next November three years, and the term of supervisors elected thereafter four years. A motion to table the amendment was lost about six o'clock and the fight went over to the evening session. W. W. Harris then renewed the motion to table the amendment, but the motion was ruled out of order. He next moved to strike out the section with the amendment, and after a tussle on points of order Towse succeeded in getting the section through amended without destroying its original intent but leaving details to be settled by the Legislature.

Free Sewerage Only Recommended.

An anvil chorus greeted the pledge to provide free garbage and free sewerage. Lucas and others contending that sewer taxes were necessary to provide money for paying the cost of construction. An amendment by Logan was adopted retaining the pledge of free garbage but only recommending free sewerage if the Legislature can provide ways and means.

The section providing for a commission to ascertain and award damages for growing bananas destroyed during the anti-mosquito campaign was, after a sharp contest, sent to the waste heap.

Payment of wages to prisoners for work done for the Territory or municipality, the money to go to their families, was carried after strong opposition.

A new section proposed by Logan to centralize the police power in the sheriff and place the appointment and control of deputy sheriffs in his hands was rejected. Andrews saying it would put the chairman out of his job and another member that it would give Bill Jarrett more power and patronage.

Control of sewers and water works by the municipality was adopted, but ownership thereof rejected because it could not be said where the money to pay for these utilities was to come from.

Placing the police and fire departments under civil service rules was a proposition that would not go down. Towse withdrew the plank to have a citizen appointed on each committee of the supervisors.

Races open to all. No entry fees. All rowing races to be governed by the racing rules of the Hawaiian Rowing Association. Each entry shall include the name of the boat, or, if it has none, the name of the person who enters it. There must be at least three boats started before second prize will be awarded.

Entries will open at 8 a. m., Tuesday, September 24, at the Hawaiian News Co., Alexander Young building, and will close Thursday, September 13, at 5 p. m.

For further information apply to Regatta Committee; J. B. Lightfoot, secretary.

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1. Whaleboat; 4 oars. Prize, \$20 trophy.

2. Senior 6-oar sliding seat barge. 1st prize, Hawaiian Rowing Association perpetual challenge cup and Wall & Dougherty cup.

3. Six-paddle canoe (championship). 1st prize, \$20; 2nd, \$15; trophies.

4. Freshman 6-oar sliding seat barge. 1st prize, \$25 trophy; 2nd, \$15 trophy.

5. Freshman six-paddle canoe. Prize, \$12 trophy.

6. Senior pair-oar boats; sliding seats. Prize, \$15 trophy.

7. Junior 6-oar sliding seat barge. 1st prize, \$25 trophy; H. F. Wichman & Co. cup; 2nd, \$15 trophy.

8. Four-paddle canoe; modern. 1st prize, \$15; 2nd, \$5; trophies.

9. Four-paddle canoe for women. 1st prize, \$10; 2nd, \$5; trophies.

10. Junior pair-oar; sliding seat. Prize, \$15 trophy.

11. Four-paddle canoe. 1st prize, \$15; 2nd, \$5; trophies.

12. Sailing race for sea wrens. 1st prize, \$10 trophy; 2nd, \$5 trophy.

13. Sailing race for pearls. 1st prize, \$10 trophy; 2nd, \$5 trophy.

14. Sailing race for canoes. 1st prize, \$10; 2nd, \$5; trophies.

15. Power sampan; over 40 h. p. 1st prize, \$15; 2nd, \$10; trophies.

16. Power sampan; from 25 to 40 h. p. 1st prize, \$15; 2nd, \$10; trophies.

17. Power sampan; under 25 h. p. 1st prize, \$10; 2nd, \$5; trophies.

18. Twelve-oar cutter race. 1st prize, \$15 trophy.

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